

# BRAINERD DAILY DISPATCH.

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BRAINERD, MINN., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1906.

PRICE TWO CENTS



## RIVER NOW RECEDED

NO FURTHER DAMAGE FROM THE FLOOD IS APPREHENDED AT CLIFTON, ARIZ.

## EIGHTEEN PEOPLE DROWNED

THE MAJORITY OF THOSE WHO PERISHED ARE BELIEVED TO BE FOREIGNERS.

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 6.—A special dispatch from Clifton, Ariz., the first authentic news out of that city since the flood prostrated all wires, is as follows:

The river is receding rapidly and the weather has cleared, hence no further damage is apprehended.

Two bodies have been recovered from the wreckage along the Chase creek, but the number of deaths cannot be told. Joe Thorn, who was rescued from the flood and whose wife was lost, was taken to the hospital in a serious condition but will probably recover. Three men caught in the act of looting and who refused to surrender to officers, were shot and fatally wounded.

The flood in Chase was caused by the breaking of the dam of the Detroit Copper company, impounding a vast amount of tailings which ran down the creek with a seven foot breast.

Only one house on Chase creek escaped damage and many were entirely destroyed. The loss is appalling. North Clifton was badly wrecked. Nearly all of the residences in that section were destroyed or damaged.

The Becker-Franz Mercantile company in that section was damaged to the extent of \$10,000. The Coronado railroad suffered damage all the way from Clifton to Metcalfe, and it will be several weeks before trains can pass over its lines.

So many restaurants and hotels have been destroyed that it is impossible to find a place to eat or sleep in the town, but there will be no shortage of provisions as many stores have escaped the floods.

The railway bridges are so badly damaged that it will be impossible to cross for some time.

## EIGHTEEN PERSONS DROWNED.

Most of Those Who Perished Are Foreigners.

Solomonville, Ariz., Dec. 6.—As the result of thirty hours steady rain over Southern Arizona the mining town of Clifton, with 3,000 population, was swept by a terrific flood and hundreds of people have fled to the mountains. Owing to disabled wires, details are hard to obtain, but the known dead number eighteen and the list doubtless will be much larger. A majority of the population are Mexicans and Indians who live in small huts now inundated. The dead are mostly foreigners whose names cannot be learned. Two Americans are known to have perished.

## CAR SHORTAGE INVESTIGATION.

Commerce Commission Will Begin It at Minneapolis on Dec. 15.

Washington, Dec. 6.—The investigation to be conducted in the Northwest into the complaints of car shortage by the interstate commerce commission will begin Dec. 15 at Minneapolis.

## COMMUNICATION STILL INTERRUPTED.

Panama, Dec. 6.—Railroad communication on the Isthmus is still interrupted and mails and passengers at some points along the line are transferred from one train to another in canoes. Not since 1870 has there been such weather as that recently experienced on the Isthmus.

## SEAMEN AT ODESSA ON STRIKE.

Odessa, Dec. 6.—The suppression of the Seamen's union by the government has been followed by a strike of the seamen with the result that the business of the shipping companies is completely tied up. About 11,000 men are out.

## SEVERE EARTHQUAKE SHOCK.

People of Kingston Thrown Into a Panic.

Kingston, Island of St. Vincent, Dec. 6.—A prolonged earthquake shock was felt here at night. It lasted fully eighty seconds. The vibrations were slow. The people of Kingston were thrown into a panic. No other shock felt here has ever lasted so long.

The Island of Barbadoes, about 100 miles to the east, and the Island of St. Lucia, about twenty-five miles to the northwest, also felt the shock. It was most severe on the Island of St. Lucia.

There has been a continuation of earthquake shocks here at intervals and of varying severity since last February.

## FREIGHT HOUSE DAMAGED.

Heavy Property Loss From Fire In Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 6.—The incoming freight house of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railway company was damaged by fire at night to the extent of \$300,000. Several explosions from signal oil endangered the lives of the firemen and threatened adjoining buildings.

Two firemen were burned but will recover.

## RIOT IN KANSAS CITY.

Started by Officers Trying to Arrest a Man and a Woman.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 6.—An attempt by three policemen to arrest John Rose, an Italian, and Honar Eckton, a Syrian woman, wanted in Columbus, O., on the charge of grand larceny, started a riot in the Italian quarter. Frances Citadino, an Italian, was shot through the head and fatally wounded and H. B. Morrison, a policeman, was shot and painfully hurt.

## STORE NEWS

### Yes, the Basement has Christmas Gifts too

#### Bath Robes

Plaid cotton bath blankets of a very superior quality large enough to make a splendid robe.

These robes sold regularly at \$1.95. We have put them in the basement and now they go at the regular basement reduction and will sell at \$1.45.

#### Ribbon Remnants

If you are making Christmas gifts and need ribbons just take the time to visit the basement if you would like real bargains. We have a large number of fancy and plain remnants in all colorings and widths that will cost you but little.

#### Art Needle-work

We placed some bargains in this class of materials in the basement this morning. It will be of decided interest to you if you will take a few moments to look them over. They are pieces that are easily worked and cost much less than regular prices.

H. F. MICHAEL Co.

## NOTICE

To Minneapolis Journal subscribers: The agency of the Minneapolis Journal has been transferred to L. Hohman, and subscribers will make complaint to him for non-delivery of paper. Mr. Hohman will make collections from Oct. 20th, 1906.

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## NAVIGATION ON GREAT LAKES

Will Be Held Open to the Last Possible Hour.

Minneapolis, Dec. 6.—Navigation on the Great Lakes will be held open to the last possible hour in order that grain may be moved East and the strained supply conditions caused by the congestion in North Dakota and the failure of the railroads to move the crop may be in some degree overcome. Officially, navigation closed at midnight Wednesday.

Conferences had been had between vessel men, insurance men and Minneapolis and Duluth grain firms. The insurance rate per \$100 of value out of Duluth is 45 cents, and all vessels that cleared Duluth before midnight Wednesday carried that rate. From Dec. 5 to Dec. 8 at midnight all cargoes will pay 85 cents and from Dec. 8 to 12 at midnight, the high rate of \$1 will rule. Notwithstanding these heavy charges it is certain that a number of cargoes will go out.

## FORTUNE TELLER ARRESTED.

Accused of Poisoning an Entire Family in Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 6.—Systematic poisoning of practically an entire family is believed by the police to be the secret of the mysterious deaths of five members of the Vzral family and the supposed suicide of Mrs. Rose Vzral at her home, 1536 Fifteenth street.

Herman Billcock, a fortune teller, palmist and alleged doctor, whose place is located at 613 Blue Island avenue, has been arrested by order of Inspector Shippy and held at the police station pending the result of the coroner's inquest over the body of Mrs. Vzral.

Billcock, it is said, made admissions to the officers conducting the examination encouraging the police theory that he might be involved in a plot to poison the insured members of the Vzral family in order to receive a part of the profits from the insurance companies.

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I claim QUALITY wins and its QUALITY that I sell the very best at THE SMALLEST PRICES that goods can be SOLD.

Just received the finest line of neckwear that ever came to the city. Get your Xmas gifts early and best selections while the stock is complete.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1906.

### Weather

Forecast—Fair tonight and Friday—  
colder tonight—warmer Friday.

### LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Thomas Halladay went to Villard today on business.

H. W. Linemann is in the twin cities on business today.

Get your storm sash at D. M. Clark & Co's. 134tf

J. H. Koop returned today from a business trip to Backus.

Our stock of Xmas goods now ready for inspection. H. P. Dunn & Co. 156tf

John Coates came up from Minneapolis today on business.

Invalid chairs for rent at D. M. Clark & Co. 261tf

F. E. Low returned from his trip to Bemidji to attend the Elk's blow out.

A great variety of Juvenile books and games at H. P. Dunn & Co. 156tf

John Oberg came down from the north and went to his home at Deerwood.

25 misfit carpets for sale at D. M. Clark & Co. 261tf

W. P. Locke came in from Longville on the Minnesota & International train today.

Rev. Dr. Copper and Mr. J. H. Noble went to Fort Ripley today to hold quarterly meeting.

New fall line rugs, carpets pun wall paper at D. M. Clark & Co. 261tf

H. A. Rider came up from Little Falls with Wm. Miller and took him to Duluth this afternoon.

Children's books and games at H. P. Dunn & Co. 156tf

A gentleman named Kline was brought up from the cities to the Northern Pacific Sanitarium today.

D. M. Clark & Co., only installment house in city, goods sold on easy terms 261tf

Miss Martha Markee returned today to her home in Minneapolis, after a visit with relatives and friends here.

J. F. Berry, the handy man at St. Joseph's hospital, has returned from his visit to Duluth and is again at his post.

"Picard's" china, the most artistic line of hand painted goods on the market at Burnett's. 152tf

H. P. Dunn & Co. are displaying in their window a beautiful line of gift books. 156tf

Frank Taylor has sold his East Brainerd bakery business to Johnson Brothers and the place will be closed.

The Ladies' Aid of the First Baptist church will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Frank Hitt, 1007 6th street north.

Do not fail to see the line of new books at H. P. Dunn & Co. 156tf

The body of Eaton S. Robinson, who died at the Northern Pacific Sanitarium Tuesday, was shipped to Pitcairn, Pennsylvania, today.

J. P. McGinnis, who is in the employ of the C. L. Bouton Co., is in Wheaton, where he has charge of the closing out a big stock of goods.

Mrs. C. B. Rowley and little daughter

returned today from a visit with friends at Duluth and Aitkin, having been absent about a week.

George Murphy, better known as "Baldy," left today for Jamestown, N. D., to accept a position as boilermaker under Thomas Canan.

Wm. Buchit, the slayer of Louis Kling, is out of jail on \$2,500 bail furnished by his father and County Commissioner Andrews.

The Young People's Society of the Swedish Lutheran church will meet Friday evening, Dec. 7, at John Olson's 3rd avenue. Everybody welcome.

Selly Clark has taken Lee Hallett's run as brakeman during his absence at Duluth and Engineer Merwin is taking Sis's trick on the engine while that gentelman is away.

There has never been a time that Olaf Skauge, with his Never Cough, has failed to cure a cold even after it had settled on the lungs. There is no medicine like it in that respect. 125tf

G. H. Leffler, of Brainerd, returned today from St. Cloud, where he is representing the Palace theatre company which is putting in an up-to-date vaudeville and motion picture theatre.

F. M. Baker, who is conducting the blacksmith shop at the corner of Sixth and Maple, went to Hackensack today to visit his family and take home his little daughter who had been visiting here.

General Manager Gemmel and Supt. Strachan, of the Minnesota & International came down on a special yesterday afternoon from a trip of inspection up the line and Mr. Gemmel went to St. Paul on No. 90.

H. F. Mann, Sr., father of the Mann brothers of this city, died at his home at Sisseton, S. D., Saturday last. W. H. Mann, of Brainerd, and H. F. Mann, Jr., of Midland, are at Sisseton to attend the funeral. The sons have the sympathy of a host of friends here.

The fourteen year old son of Charles Rogers, living at Cove, on the south end of Mille Laacs, was drowned in the lake last Saturday while skating. This is the second son of Mr. Rogers that has met his death in that lake, the other being drowned from a boat a few years ago.

Arthur Witham, who has been working at Muskoda, as a boiler maker, for some time is home on a visit and has some very interesting photographs of the work being done there, showing the piling and trestle of the new track.

The trestle is 45 feet high and seven miles long and is going to be filled with dirt practically the entire distance, there being a cut of almost equal magnitude.

Torturing eczema spreads its burning area every day. Doan's Ointment quickly stops its spreading, instantly relieves the itching, cures it permanently. At any drug store.

### Care of the Dog.

Dogs vary greatly in their appetites, and occasionally we find a dainty feeder who will nose over a mixed dish of food, picking out a bit here and there and showing but little relish for what he does eat. This is an evident sign that something is wrong.

Changing his teeth, if a puppy, thus disturbing his system, may be the cause, and in this case a little cooling medicine should be given.

There's nothing so good for a sore throat as Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Cures it in a few hours. Relieves any pain in any part.

The Bell coffees are as pleasing to the taste as the tone of the old Liberty bell was to the heroes of 1776. At all grocers, 20c. 156tf

Woman loves a clear, rosy complexion. Burdock Blood Bitters purifies the blood, clears the skin, restores ruddy, sound health.

The Regulets cure constipation tone the stomach, stimulate the liver, promote digestion and appetite and easy passages of the bowels. Ask your druggist for them. 25 cents a box.

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### AMUSEMENTS

#### "Ole Olson"

The next attraction at the opera house will be Mr. Ben Hendricks, the Northland singer in his beautiful comedy, "Ole Olson," supported by a company of artistic ability. Mr. Hendricks is a rare combination of good acting and singing, having a voice of much sweetness and described as a rich sympathetic baritone, while his acting is magnetic and full of delightful quaint comedy for which he excels. His songs include "Philopene," "Northland Lullaby," "A Swagger Swedish Swell," "Open your mouth and shut your Eyes," the last mentioned giving him the opportunity to show his ability as a warbler. "Ole" comes to the opera house Saturday, December 8th.

#### Arizona"

The coming engagement of "Arizona" the drama by Augustus Thomas, author of "Alabama" and "In Missouri," will be one of the most notable events of the dramatic season.

"Alabama" has been adjudged by many competent critics to be the greatest drama of American authorship. When it was produced prophetic folk declared that Mr. Thomas was the genius who would lay the foundation stone for the American drama. Perhaps he has done so. His "In Missouri" which followed was an excellent play, and now comes "Arizona," which not one, but every critic in New York and Chicago has united in pronouncing a better play than "Alabama." "Arizona" as the name would indicate, is a typically American play. The scenes and incidents of it are laid about a frontier army post and a neighboring cattle ranch. At the opera house Monday, Dec. 10th.

Constipation is the main cause of appendicitis. If you are constipated you are taking big chances. Better get Dr. Adler's Treatment, the great appendicitis preventative. No need to worry then.

### A PLEASANT WEDDING

Irvine Chrysler and Sophie Jensen United in Matrimony at Home of the Bride's Parents

About thirty-five relatives and intimate friends of the contracting parties gathered at the home of Peter Jensen, 513 South Twelfth street Wednesday evening, December 5, 1906, to witness the ceremony that should unite the lives of Irvine Chrysler, of this city, and Miss Sophie Jensen, formerly of Twin Brooks, S. D. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. F. McLeod, pastor of the Presbyterian church, at 8 o'clock. Miss Esther Chrysler, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid, and Peter Jensen, brother of the bride was best man. After the ceremony the entire party sat down to a sumptuous wedding supper. The happy couple left today noon for Glenwood, Minn., where they will visit at the home of Mrs. J. C. Toms, a sister of the groom.

The bride is a recent arrival in this city but has already made many friends here. The groom is well known here, having been for years a resident of Crow Wing county and for some months an employee of E. C. Bana. On their return from their trip they will go to housekeeping at once at 513 South Twelfth street and Mr. Chrysler will enter the employ of Toger Peterson at the Maple street meat market.

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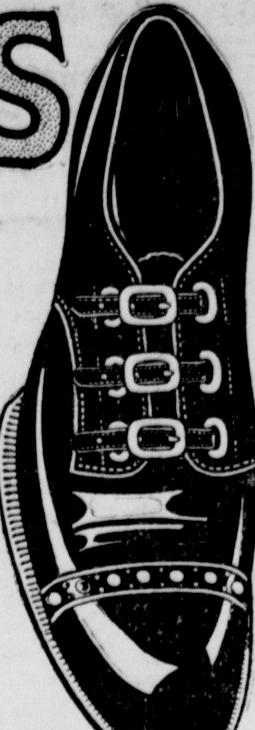
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### DESIGNATED

#### STATE ROADS

County Commissioners Designated State Highways in Crow Wing County

#### TWO ROADS WERE NAMED

One Leading Toward Little Falls  
And One Toward Bay Lake  
And Aitkin

The county commissioners on Wednesday designated two highways as state roads. Under the law the state will state will pay one-third of the cost of improving these roads up to the limit of the state appropriation. The roads designated were one north and south road and one east and west road. The north and south road starts at the foot of Sixth street and runs easterly one-half mile to the town line and then south along the town lines between Crow Wing and Long Lake and St. Matthias and Daggett Brook to the Morrison county line. The east and west road starts at the east side of the city limits and continues east along the road known as the Oak street road to the east-line of the center of section 28, town of Nokay Lake, thence along the county road south of Nokay lake to the intersection of the Bay lake road and the Aitkin county line. The north and south road is expected to be part of a road to Little Falls and the east and west road a part of a continuous road across the state from Duluth through Carleton, Aitkin, Brainerd and on west.

#### Western Wonder

There's a Hill at Bowie, Tex., that's twice as big as last year. This wonder is W. L. Hill, who from a weight of 90 pounds has grown to over 180. He says: "I suffered with a terrible cough, and doctors gave me up to die of Consumption. I was reduced to 90 pounds, when I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Now, after taking 12 bottles, I have more than doubled in weight and am completely cured." Only sure Cough and Cold cure. Guaranteed by H. P. Dunn & Co., druggists. 50c and \$1. Trill bottle free.

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and vim,  
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### ALL TRAINS

#### LATE TODAY

Bad Snow Storm Seriously Interferes With Railway Traffic Today

#### HAD TO CHANGE ENGINES

Minnesota & International Had to Get Heavier Engine at Bemidji

Every train was late today. The Minnesota & International was the first one of the noon bunch to show up at about 1:20. The train lost an hour and a half between Big Falls and Bemidji and there was prospect that she would lose time all the way down but the management of the road set the No. 19 aside at Bemidji and put on the "six spot," one of their heaviest engines and equipped with a good plow and Engineer Russell brought her in in good shape making up ten minutes of the lost time. No. 6 was a sight when she got in, however, and was so completely incased in snow and ice that it did not look as if she could run at all.

No. 91, from the cities, pulled in next almost 40 minutes behind time, and No. 11 came in from Duluth about two hours late. No. 12 was reported at least two hours late with no certainty as to her being here on that schedule.

It is the best safeguard against indigestion, biliousness and dyspepsia, known to mankind. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea or tablets, 35 cents. H. P. Dunn & Co.

#### TO BE GIVEN A RECEPTION

Presiding Elder Copper and Rev. Chas. Fox Davis and Their Families to be Given Reception

The congregation of the First Methodist church will give a reception on Friday evening of this week to Rev. Dr. Copper, presiding elder of the Brainerd district, and Rev. Charles Fox Davis, the new pastor of the church, and their families. A program will be presented and refreshments served. The church is very desirous of having all members of the congregation and friends of the church present at the reception which will commence at 8 o'clock.

New Cure for Epilepsy  
J. B. Waterman, of Watertown, O., rural free delivery, writes: "My daughter, afflicted for years with epilepsy, was cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills. She has not had an attack for over two years." Best body cleansers and life giving tonic pills on earth. 25c at H. P. Dunn & Co.'s drug store.

#### FARMERS INSTITUTE ANNUALS

Minnesota Institute Annuals left at the Dispatch Office for Free Distribution.

Mr. A. J. McGuire, who was in charge of the farmers institute, left about fifty copies of the Farmer's Institute annual at THE DISPATCH office for distribution and as long as they last anyone interested can get a copy. The supply is limited and it will be a matter of first come, first served. 1556

#### A Miraculous Cure.

The following statement by H. M. Adams and wife, Henrietta, Pa., will interest parents and others. "A miraculous cure has taken place in our home. Our child had eczema 5 years and was pronounced incurable, when we read about Electric Bitters, and concluded to try it. Before the second bottle was taken we noticed a change for the better, and after taking 7 bottles he was completely cured." It's the up-to-date blood medicine and body building tonic. Guaranteed. 50c and \$1 at H. P. Dunn & Co.'s drug store.

#### School Report

Report of school District No. 3 for the month ending Nov. 23, 1906.

Number of pupils enrolled..... 32

Average daily attendance..... 23

Percent of attendance..... 72

Number cases of tardiness..... 1

Those having been neither absent nor tardy during the month are:

Rachel Thompson, Lex Thompson, Dorothy Gibb, Hazel Juline, Mary Hughey, Lloyd Taylor, Andrew Olsen, Theodore Olsen.

Those having been absent not more than one day are:

Webster Johnston, Edwin Olsen, Elizabeth Petersen.

ETHEL F. CHASE, Teacher.

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#### Slaughter of Deer in Michigan.

Marquette, Mich., Dec. 6.—Statistics compiled here show that during the hunting season just closed, 6,400 carcasses of deer were shipped to Lower Michigan. In addition 2,500 were transported to Upper Peninsula points, and hundreds of others were shipped out of the district via the Chicago lines. The total of deer killed in this state was probably not under 15,000.

### A PLEASANT PARTY

Miss McCarvill Entertained Friends Monday Evening in Honor of Mrs. Eugene Merrill

Miss Katherine McCarvill, of Deerwood, assisted by her sister, Mrs. Griffin entertained about 20 young ladies and gentleman Monday evening in honor of their cousin, Mrs. Eugene Merrill, of St. Paul. The evening was spent with cards followed by dancing. Light refreshments were served and a very enjoyable time was had by all present.

#### DEERWOOD NOTES

E. S. Frisbee was a Brainerd visitor Tuesday.

Rev. H. Blomgren preached in Deerwood Friday.

Miss Kate McCarvill was a Brainerd visitor Tuesday.

Sigurd Hage took in the Thanksgiving dance at Aitkin.

Sheriff O. P. Erickson was in the city on business Saturday.

Oliver Skau went to Brainerd Sunday and returned Monday.

Oscar Carlson returned Monday from a business trip to Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. Fuller, of Bay Lake, left for Colorado last Monday.

Andrew Olson, of Brainerd, visited here with friends last Sunday.

Frank Oberg and Oscar Carlson transacted business in Brainerd Friday.

Mrs. Milbury, who was suddenly taken sick last week is rapidly improving.

Prof. E. O. Kleve and Miss Belle Whitten visited with friends in Aitkin Sunday.

Friends of Miss Annie Graham regret that she has departed for her home in Wisconsin.

Mrs. W. J. Griffin, of Duluth, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McCarvill.

The drill on the Culver and Meyer place has been pulled off and suspended operations.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Victor Vickstrom last Saturday. "Set 'em up Vic."

Mrs. Eugene Merrill, of St. Paul, is a guest at the home of her uncle, James McCarvill, having arrived Monday.

The Scandinavian Lutheran church has been supplied with a new carpet, the gift of the Helping Hand society.

Miss Thersa Clark returned to Deerwood Sunday night from Hibbing where she spent a short Thanksgiving vacation.

Messrs. Ole, Andrew and Peter Aune, of Klondike, returned last week from Canada where they have taken up home-steads.

A baby boy arrived at the home of C. J. Rathvon on Monday last. We expect the arrival of the cigars in the near future.

Harry Patterson was in Brainerd Tuesday and Wednesday attending the judicial ditch hearing before Judge McClenahan.

Claus Theorin came up from Minneapolis Tuesday and went to Brainerd Wednesday. It is rumored that he will be deputy for Sheriff Erickson.

Elmer Olson, Fred Swanberg and Frank Wahlberg left Wednesday with six teams for Bena, Minn. This was the last section of Olson Bros.' logging crew.

Dr. Ried was called to the home of James Brownlee last Sunday to attend to a case of appendicitis. To the credit of our competent doctor the patient, Mrs. Deakes, is now improving rapidly.

Joe Raymond's duck shoot last Thursday was well attended. The boys brought home ducks as follows: Peter Brand, one; S. Johnson, one; O. C. Coffin, one; E. Masson, two; Ed Rhodes, one, and E. S. Frisbee, three.

Misses Anna Carlson and Hannah Theorin and Mr. Julius Brandt went to Duluth Wednesday morning to resume their positions in the household of Mr. Buxton. Charles Ling will remain in charge of the Buxton cottage here this winter and will keep bachelor's hall.

After experiencing four months of trials and tribulations in different parts of the United States and Canada, Messrs Douglas Archibald and Leonard Palmer returned to their homes in Deerwood. They are well pleased with the trip, and are already contemplating another.

T. J. Thompson went to Brainerd Monday night to enter St. Joseph's hospital where he underwent a surgical operation on Wednesday. Mrs. Thompson went there Tuesday evening to be with him for a few days. Miss Jessie Whitten is staying at the Thompson home during their absence.

Prof. E. O. Kleve and Robert Archibald, Jr., transacted business in Brainerd Saturday. While there the professor purchased a full sized piano for the Deerwood public schools. The small piano in the school, which was not very satisfactory, was taken in exchange by Wm. Graham, from whom the new piano was purchased.

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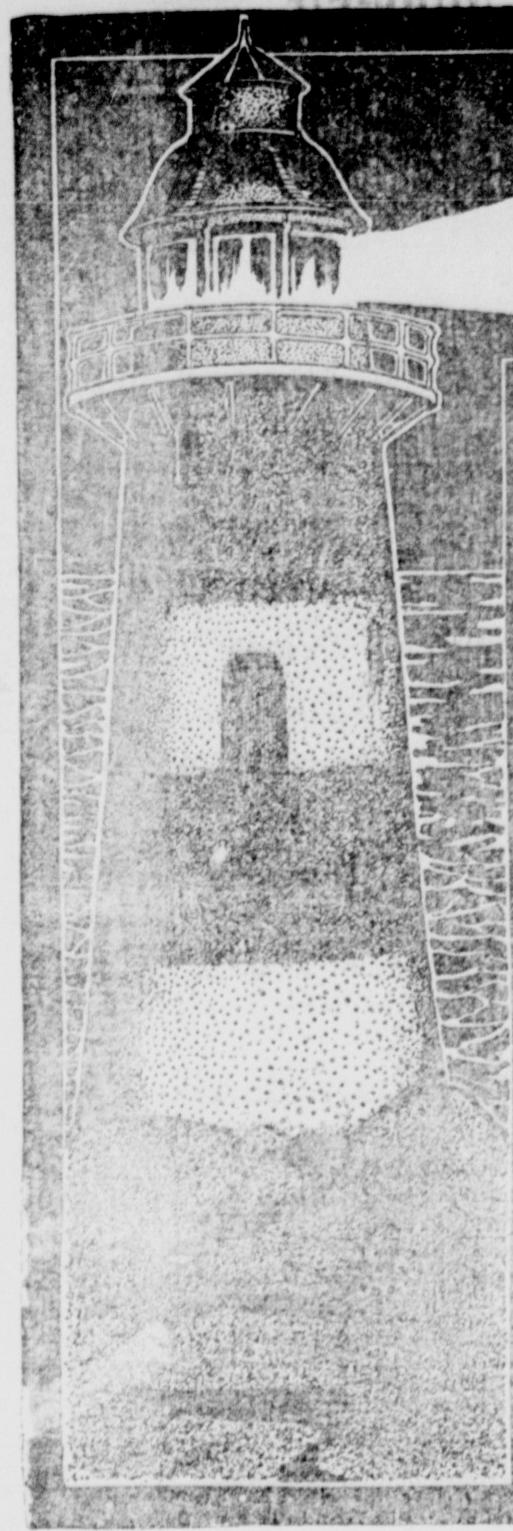
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Ladies' Arctic, regular \$1.25, Our price.....	<b>85c</b>
Ladies' Plain Storm Rubber, Reg'lar 75c, Our price.....	<b>50c</b>
Boys' Plain Sandal Rubbers, sizes 1½ to 2, Regular price 60c, Our price.....	<b>40c</b>
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Children's Plain Slipper, sizes 7½ to 10½, Our price.....	<b>30c</b>
Children's Plain Slipper, sizes 11 to 13½, Our price .....	<b>35c</b>
Children's Plain Slipper, sizes 1 to 2, Our price.....	<b>40c</b>
1 Buckle Arctic, sizes from 6½ to 10½, Our price.....	<b>65c</b>
1 Buckle Arctic, sizes from 11½ to 2, Our price.....	<b>75c</b>
Men's 1 Buckle Arctics, sizes 6 to 11, regular price \$1.25, Our price.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
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### BURNED HORSES WITH ACIDS

PICKETS ALSO INSTRUCTED TO BREAK ARMS AND LEGS OF NONUNION MEN.

Chicago, Dec. 6.—A startling exposé of the methods employed in the teamsters' strike was given in the trial of Cornelius P. Shea and his fellow labor leaders before Judge Ball in the criminal court when Joseph Schultz, an alleged slugger, who with Albert Young turned state's evidence, was on the stand. Schultz declared that Shea had told him to break the legs and arms of the strike-breakers and especially to attack negroes. When this did not work satisfactorily, Schultz asserted that Shea ordered the hired pickets to throw eggs filled with acids at the horses driven by nonunion men. The acid throwers, according to Schultz, were responsible for many runaways and were considered a great aid in the fight against the employers.

In referring to the eggs filled with acids, Schultz said:

"Myself and other pickets were called into the picket headquarters and our captain gave us a number of eggs. The contents had been removed and the shells filled with acids. Shea was there, and told us that if we carried out the plan proposed it would create a stir among the strike-breakers."

The witness said that he had seen a man squirt from a syringe at horses driven by a nonunion teamster and that six policemen were unable to stop the runaway that resulted in State street, which was crowded with traffic at the time.

Battleship Vermont a Success.

Rockland, Me., Dec. 6.—Under rather unfavorable conditions the first class battleship Vermont had her screw standardization tests over a measured mile and came fully up to expectations. The greatest speed with tidal corrections was at the rate of 18.52 knots an hour.

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### BEGIN SERVING SENTENCES.

Officials of an Ohio Company Sent to the House of Correction.

Chicago, Dec. 6.—Robert D. Bradley, president of the Canton Rubber company of Canton, O., and Edwin Davis, vice president of the same institution, who were Tuesday sentenced by Judge Landis in the United States district court each to one year in the house of correction, have begun the active service of their sentences.

William J. Oby, a former officer of the company, who entered a plea of guilty at the same time as similar pleas were made by Bradley and Davis, was allowed to await his sentence until March because of the illness of his wife.

Finley Succeeds Spencer.

New York, Dec. 6.—The directors of the Southern railway here elected W. W. Finley of Washington president of the company to succeed the late Samuel Spencer. Mr. Finley has been second vice president of the road since Sept. 15, 1896. Prior to entering the Southern's service Mr. Finley was second vice president of the Great Northern railway.

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